

1797 in South Carolina and died in 1866 in Parkersburg, Illinois.

William Lawrence Speed was born October 9, 1815 in Anderson Pendleton District, South Carolina. He married Martha Robertson Speed February 27, 1848 in Mississippi. She was the daughter of Jeffery Robertson and Martha Rawl Robertson. She was born April 30, 1821 in Covington County, Mississippi. They are buried in Speed cemetery. William Lawrence Speed died October 15, 1879 in Covington County, MS. Martha Robertson Speed died August 18, 1889.

The following is the line of William Lawrence Speed and Martha Robertson Speed.

Sarah Margaret Speed was born July 25, 1848 and died in November, 1875.

Rachel Ann Speed was born June 12, 1850 and died October 30, 1937. She married Tandy Walker Cranford who was born August 13, 1845 and died December 11, 1920. Tandy was the son of William Cranford. Below is a list of Rachel and Tandy's children.

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| 1. William Lawrence Cranford 1875-1935
Malissa Ford | 5. Sharpley Cranford (Dr.) 1882
Eva Trest |
| 2. George Thomas Cranford 1876-1937
Mamie Terrell Nov 22 1876 - June 1 1936 | 6. Marshall Ray Cranford July 1883 - Sept 6 1887 |
| 3. Tandy Walker Cranford, Jr. 1878-
Flora Garrison Feb 24 1876 - June 17 1952 | 7. Jack Eli Cranford (Rev'd.) 1886 |
| 4. Roland Huston Cranford 1880
Lenz Miller | 8. Bessie Cranford 1888
Johnnie Batson |
| | 9. Matilda Cranford 1890 |

William Madison "Billy" Speed was born May 15, 1852 and died May 4, 1932. He married Jorah Sellers, born December 26, 1854 and died September 17, 1939. Jorah Sellers Speed was the daughter of James Sellers and Mary Margaret Speed. Mary Margaret was the daughter of Felix Washington Speed and Hester Hattie Langston. William and Jorah's children are listed below.

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| 1. Lee Madison SPEED 1877-1944
① Elizabeth Brawer
② Willie Baxter | No children of his own. Adopted twin of his sister's, Mattie Tannehill. | 7. J. Charles SPEED 1923-1976
Freddie Lee Green 1976
Born Bur. Hattiesburg |
| 2. John David SPEED 1876-
① Mattie Ridgeway
② Annie Moore | 1 son dec'd. Lived in Eminence | 8. Frank SPEED
9. Harvey SPEED } Eminence No INFO
10. Willie SPEED }
11. Benson SPEED } Jackson |
| 3. Martha J. "Mattie" SPEED 1877-1914
Sylvus "Sy" Tannehill | Willie (Tannehill) SPEED 1920-
Ernest (Tannehill) SPEED 1920-
(Adopted by Lee Madison SPEED) (?) | 12. Veldon SPEED
13. Therman SPEED
Elizabeth SPEED (gr. dau. James Moore, Jr.)
14. Conley SPEED
15. Elmer SPEED |
| 4. James Martin SPEED 1879-1942
Ida France Harwell | James Earl
16. Earl SPEED 1907-1970
Ellene Lott (Lives Prentiss) 1800
17. Scott Lott (gr. Lou Aultman)
18. Lyda SPEED 1909-1932
Unm.
19. William Quinton SPEED 1911-1971
Rochelle Elfert 1916 Hattiesburg
20. Thelma SPEED 1913
Dr. Sherman Allis
21. Myrtle SPEED 1916
Robert F. Schneider (Green Bay, WI)
22. Martin Douglas "Doug" SPEED 1919
Pat Byrd (From Alabama)
Lives Hattiesburg | NO MORE INFO
NO MORE INFO |

George Washington SPEED 1882-1962
 Lou Anna Miller 1885-1948
 July 5 1948
 "Maggie"
 Mary Marad:el SPEED 1884-1944
 Michael "Mike" Diglane 1878-
 f. Thomas Eialane
 n. Sarah E. SPEED
 James Monroe Speed line)
 Wiam Walter SPEED 1886-1971
 Carrie Elizabeth Lott 1888-1943
 (f. George Scott m. Fannie Ingram) Oct 14 July 18

1 William Lewis SPEED 1913- Carolyn J. W.L.Jr. 1936
 2 Eleanor Gibson
 3 Glennie Collins 1915-
 4 Miss S. EED
 5 Mattie Eunice SPEED 1916- 1 son
 6 John Eugene Boon
 7 Harry Lee Jordan
 8 Dennis SPEED 1918- Pearl Lambright
 9 Scout SPEED 1920- Katherine Knight
 10 Baby boy died in infancy
 11 Ford Minnon SPEED 1922- Juanita Lucas
 12 Myrtle Ruth SPEED 1924-
 13 Johnnie Lambert 1923
 14 Montgomery L. Waldrup 1916-1975
 15 Ruby Alice SPEED 1926 Johnny Lee
 16 Keith SPEED died young 6/11/1926
 17 Curtis Charles SPEED 1928
 18 Ethel Myrle Knight
 19 Iris Nell SPEED 1934 1 boy 1 girl
 20 George Wiley Westbrook 1917

10 Robert Roe SPEED July 25 1890-1969 April 19
 Mary Virginia Rowland 1897-
 (f. Horace Rowland, m. Robt Alma Davis)
 11 Ada Hilman SPEED 1893-1922
 12 Ernest Knight 1890-1933
 (Ernest Knight m. Lela Tannehill, his niece by marriage)
 13 Zettie SPEED May 20 1893- (1975 Living Mendenhall)
 14 Charlie Brunis "Doc" Pickering 1895-1931 Bur. Salem
 15 W.R. Allen
 16 Minnie SPEED William. Quick
 17 Victoria SPEED Bur. Eminence
 18 Vernon Wakefield
 19 Estus Lafayette SPEED, Jr. Bur. Eminence
 20 Doris Adams
 21 Louise SPEED Living California
 22 P.W. Rogers (trans. S.A.)
 23 William Thomas "Bill" SPEED 1929-1971 Maudine Ishee
 24 James Robert SPEED 1922- Violet Josephine Forge 1 boy 1 girl
 25 Melva Louise SPEED 1929 Royce Manasco

Estus Lafayette "Fate" SPEED Aug 26 1888-1964
 Frances Williams 1890-1970
 April 14 1970
 f m

1 Grover Cleveland SPEED 1910- Claudia Knight
 2 Gracie Quitman SPEED Rutland
 3 Lucie SPEED Brinson Knight (f. Minnie Rie, m. Geo. A. Miss.)

James Lawrence Speed was born November 5, 1855 and died September 26, 1919. He married Sarah A. Dosssett who was born in 1857 and died July 8, 1897. Both are buried in the Speed cemetery. Sarah A. Dosssett Speed was the daughter of Edmund Speed and Julie Lowry. James and Sarah's children are listed below.

1 Martha Ophelin SPEED 1882-1917 James "Jim" Sellers
 2 John Thaddius SPEED 1884 d. young
 3 James William McCoy SPEED 1886- Clare Creel
 4 Alton Porter SPEED 1888-1961
 5 Lola Viola Shoemaker 1894-1972
 (f. A.J. Shoemaker m. Samantha McDonald) m. 13/1917
 Both bur. Collins Cem.
 5 Lamont SPEED 1892-
 6 Alice Moroni SPEED 1894-1912 Ernest F. Carroll
 Lived in Hines Oregon

1 George Franklin SPEED 1895-1923
 Opal Vergie Rainey 1901-
 (f. Benjamin Franklin Rainey m. Vergie Ann Burns)
 Vandalia, Mo.
 1 son
 1 Nettarine SPEED 1918 Harley E. Kerns
 2 Erma Lorine SPEED 1920
 1 Albert Calicott
 2 Allen J. Hayes
 Paul Herman Carroll → John Carroll Jr. (movies)
 Carmela Lee Carroll
 Hibert Carroll

1 Mary Jo SPEED 1924 Wayne Beaumont Ames
 2 George Franklin SPEED, Jr 1927 Evelyn June Cape
 3 Ulysses Grant SPEED 1933 1 boy 1 girl
 Sue Collins Utah
 4 Donald Rainey SPEED 1932
 5 Maurine Wheeler
 6 Vergie Ann SPEED 1935

Thaddus Leroy Speed was born October 23, 1866 and died April 6, 1930. He married Ann Jane Dosssett, sister to Sarah A. Dosssett Speed. Ann was born November, 1870 and died March, 1935. Both are buried at the Speed cemetery in Covington County, Mississippi. Their children are listed below.

Mary Magdalene SPEED 1890-1961 Nov 24
 2 William Edward SPEED 1890-1961 Nov 24
 Tabitha Susan Thompson 1893-1972
 (f. James Samuel Thompson)
 (m. Sarah Ann Watson) April 1 1910

Jewell Edward SPEED 1914
 Catherine Josephine Cooper
 2 Harry Glenn SPEED 1914 Sept 1904
 J. Miriam Walters Nov 24, 1914
 3 Ella Ruth SPEED 1921-1923
 Dec 20 Aug 19
 4 Winnie Opal SPEED 1923
 Henry Rosenberg

3 Dagmar Mae SPEED 1893-1962
 Floyd Columbus Page
 Pearl River Co. Miss.

1 Mildred Page 1918-
 Jack W. Bowden
 2 Charles Ray Page 1922-
 Pearl
 3 Cecil Leroy Page 1926
 4 Patrice Nell Page 1929
 Elias Mitchell

4 Julius Adelman SPEED 1895-1950
 Sadie Cranford 1897-

1 Julius Douglas SPEED 1923
 Hazel Davis

2 Hazel Murle SPEED 1926
 Marshall Byrd

3 Georg Ericson SPEED 1930

5 Wilford Bethea SPEED 1897
 Lillie Mae Sanford
 (f. Charles Sanford)
 (m. Donnie Kervin)

1 Paul Herchel SPEED d. in infancy

2 Bobby Bethea SPEED 1939-
 Dorothy Helen Yawn

3 James Elton SPEED

4 Winnie Lee SPEED 1899-1915
 Unmtd.

1 Joseph Lyman SPEED 1902

Elizabeth "Betty" Leggett 1915
 (f. Wm. Blain Leggett)
 (m. Laura King)

1 Joseph Larry SPEED 1933
 Ida Joyce Mooney

2 Thaddeus Lloyd SPEED 1938
 Vivian May Vreland

3 William Ted SPEED 1943
 Mary Evelyn King

8 Harry Glenn SPEED 1904-1915
 Unmtd.

9 Mary Ellen SPEED 1907-
 Lefel Rutland 1893

10 Katherine Chester SPEED 1910-1962
 Wilma Allen Lee

Nora Ellen Jane Speed was born in 1868 and died in 1939. She married Robert T. Coulter who was born in 1867 and died in 1915. Their children are listed below.

Azilean Coulter 1886

Simon Coulter Dec 8, 1894 - D Dec 9, 1894

2 Addy May Coulter 1859 July 8, 1900

3 Hattie Jane Coulter BFD 1891 Feb 14

4 Vader Coulter 1892

5 Timma Coulter 1894-1894 1 day old

6 Adair Iren Coulter 1895

7 Rutha Rachel Coulter 1898

Oct 11, 1893
 Feb 26, 1900

8 Ida Ella Coulter 1905-1954

Leonard McCarty 1901-1974

1 Rutha Gertrude McCarty 1923

Percy Lee Smith 1922
 (f. Angela Smith)
 (m. Lily Kimbell)

2 Catherine Loretta McCarty 1926
 Warren Tynes

3 Kenneth Earl McCarty 1929
 Hazel Davenport

4 Annie Joyce McCarty 1931
 Cecil D. Adams

5 Ida Earlene McCarty 1934
 Harold S. Smith

6 Wallace Burnette McCarty 1936
 Betty Morris

7 Gloria June McCarty 1938
 James Lofton

8 Bolely Neal McCarty 1943
 Delores Murdock

James Monroe Speed, Sr. was born May 14, 1818 and died December 25, 1896. He was born in Pendleton District, South Carolina. He married Sarah Rogers in 1838 in Covington County, Mississippi. Sarah Rogers was the daughter of Meshaeah Rogers and Elizabeth Lucy Brunson. She was born October 18, 1819 in Barnwell County, South Carolina and died March 5, 1905 in Covington County, MS. Both are buried at Leaf River cemetery in Covington County, MS. The following is a list of their children.

(1) William Rogers Speed, was born August 1, 1840 and died in 1902. He married Margaret Ann Dewitt. Their children are listed below.

(2) James Monroe Speed, Jr. was born November 4, 1842 and died January 25, 1932. He married Emily Rogers whose parents were George Washington and Elizabeth Speed Rawls. The following are their children.

1. Joseph Wade SPEED 1868-1953
Nebresia Jane Pickering 1878-1929
(f. Willie Pickering m. Celia Ann Graves)

1. Ola Bebe SPEED 1894-1974
Wm. Timothy Rogers 1898-1974

2. John Liston SPEED 1896-1974
Emma Sturges

3. Leland SPEED 1899-1931
Katherine Williams Rhymes 1911-

4. Irma Lane SPEED 1904-1966
Charles Lee Steen 1904-1964

5. Winston Clive SPEED 1910-1937
Kathryn Belle Rogers 1921-

6. Vera Dale SPEED 1914-1932
Premiss Oliver Jordan 1911

7. James Pickering SPEED 1917-1931
unm. April 2 Dec 19

8. Joseph Byron SPEED 1920-1976
Jamie Mae Duggan 1922-

2. William Franklin "Billy" SPEED 1870-1953
m. ① Lola Irene Grantham 1876-1935
(Mother of all of the Children)
m. ② Nellie Grantham 1882-1972
(Sister to ①)

3. Mary Lucretia SPEED 1872-1902
Benj. Daniel Duckworth
(f. Wm. Timothy Duckworth m. Minnie Jane Williamson)

4. Emanuel "Man" SPEED 1874-?
Frances Knight

12 Children born in Miss.
from 1893 to 1913.
They all came to Texas
2 Children born in Tex.
14 Total of Children
I have records...

1. Corn Duckworth
Carl D. Quick
2. Minnie Duckworth
3. James Timothy Duckworth
4. Marion Duckworth
Ida Sellers

Birdie SPEED Williams
Annie SPEED
Frances SPEED Born 6. 1890. d. 7. 1970

James Monroe Speed, Jr. then married Delphis (Murry) Anderson who was born May 24, 1852 and died August 19, 1891. Their children are listed below.

5. Hiram SPEED Nov 13 1884 - 1888 June 4
6. John Truett SPEED Nov 4 1885 - 1932 June 27
Queenie B. Graham

1. Willie Mae SPEED
2. Udam SPEED
3. Estes SPEED
4. Lawrence SPEED
5. Hulton SPEED
6. Elizabeth SPEED
m. Thurman SPEED
7. James Harold SPEED
8. George Roland SPEED
9. Ann's SPEED - died young

7. Annie SPEED Nov 4 1887 June 27
Charles Forest Andrews
1881 - 1940

8. Myrtle SPEED May 16 1890 - 1958
Anson Lester McGee 1884 - 1962
May 19 Dec 24

1. Milton Weyland Andrews
2. Harland Glenmore Andrews
3. Carver Dana Andrews
4. Charles Speed Andrews
5. Hazel Annis Andrews
6. Ralph Lowery Andrews
7. Margaret Alton Andrews
8. Evelyn Hope Andrews
9. James David Andrews
10. John Lincoln Andrews
11. Mary Annis Andrews
12. William Forest Andrews
13. Lois Katherine Andrews

1. Dorothy Mae McGee
FRASER Vaughn
2. Sarah La Nell McGee
Paul B. Jones
3. Anson Lester McGee Jr.
Dec 23, 1912 Feb Jefferts Oct

James Monroe Speed, Jr. then married Laura M. Mayfield, born February 23, 1863 and died November 11, 1906. Their children are listed below.

9. Wood Walton SPEED 1893-1960
Rachel Murtie Rogers

1. Ser - died young
2. J. T. SPEED
1967 ① Martha Mayfield
② Sadie Lois Reynolds
3. James Monroe "Boud" SPEED
① Hazel Jean Warren
② Mrs. Julia Carlisle
4. Lora Jean SPEED
5. Virginia Maurine SPEED
Tom Humphrey
6. Bryon Hudson SPEED

10. George Napoleon SPEED 1894-1896

11. Rena Laura SPEED 1896-?

12. Luella SPEED 1901-

① Bill Davis

Gloria Elizabeth Davis
Emma Jane Davis
Wilson

(3) Sarah Elizabeth Speed was born October 1, 1844 and died in 1881. She married Thomas Biglane who was born in Ireland in 1836 and died March 8, 1899. Their children are listed below.

Sarah Alice Biglane John Carr (brother to N.M. below)	1863 -	1. Mary Carr 2. Jerome Carr 3. Frank Carr	4. Josephine Biglane William Carr	7. Edward Biglane Emma Duckworth (f. Joseph Duckworth) (m. Jane SPEED)	1872 - 1877-1878
William Monroe "Bill" Biglane Nancy Catherine "Nannie" Watts (f. B.S. Watts m. Minnie Coulter)	1866-1854 1868-1857	1. Minnie E. Biglane Fred Alford Lowery 2. Otus Judson Biglane Nell Day 3. Son - died young 4. Lucy Lueille Biglane Oree Luther Stringer	5. Martha Biglane William Carr, Jr. 6 John Biglane ① Juanita Anderson ② Martha Rawls	1. Zelotus Biglane Pecile Bonner 2. Maxine Biglane Willie S. Rutland 3. Camille Biglane Glenn Cross 4. Ella Mae Biglane ① Woodrow Dykes ② Earl Tucker 5. Elizabeth Biglane S.P. Cagle	+ Parley + Speed
George Biglane Maybelle Clark f.	1868 -	Jessie Biglane Bell Smith			
8 Mary Biglane George Waters	1873 -	10. Michael "Mike" Biglane Mary Margaret "Maggie" SPEED (f. Wm. M. SPEED m. Jariah Sellers) Wm. Lawrence SPEED line			
9 Anna Biglane Roby Cauthen	1874 -	11. Martin Biglane Dona Waters f.	Grady Biglane Alice Stephens Biglane		

(4) George Washington Speed was born in 1846 and died in 1942. He married Elizabeth Catherine Burkhalter who was born in 1853 and died in 1937. Her parents were Joshua Burkhalter and Martha Ann Harvey. Joshua Burkhalter drowned in Leaf River. His wife Martha Ann, married Ben F. Cammack and moved to Louisiana. George W. Speed's children Martin Luther, Lillie Belle, John Balis and Sarah Margaret were born in Covington County, MS. They came to Texas in December, 1875 and Navarro County Texas in January, 1876. The first born of the children born in Texas was Martha Elizabeth Speed. The following are the children of George Washington Speed and Elizabeth Catherine Burkhalter Speed.

1. Martin Luther SPEED ① Nettie Harris ② Lena (Stockton) SPEED (widow of St. Elmo SPEED)	1871-1936	8 Children	11. Hattie Virginia SPEED 1885-1885 (1 mo.)	
2. Lillie Belle SPEED Joseph A. Lindsey	1872-1954	2 children	12. Charlie Coulson SPEED Mary Ethel McClung	1886-1967 2 children
3. John Balis SPEED (Preacher) ① Sylvia Marquam ② Eva Fennell ③ Helen Gibson	1874-1964	1 son	13. Unnamed Infant B & D	1889
4. Sarah Margaret SPEED William David Arnett		10 children	14. Elijah Burkhalter SPEED Ethel Margaret "Eppie" Pitts	1890-1960 2 children
5. Martha Elizabeth SPEED James Clifton Spurger, Sr.	1877-1972	4 children	15. Ora Essie SPEED Ernest Claude Bain (brother to Wm. Lee)	1891- Living 3 children
6. Joshua Walter SPEED Adda Goodnight	1878-1968	No children	16. Unnamed Infant B & D	1893
7. Joseph Monroe SPEED Maggie Ophelia Shappard	1878-1945	2 sons	17. Trudie Mai SPEED John Robert Polk Hays	1895-1970 2 children
8. St. Elmo SPEED Lena Stockton	1880-1910	No children		
9. Laura Josephine SPEED Tom Stockton	1882-1915	No children		
10. Georgia Viola SPEED William Lee Bain Sr.	1884 - Living	4 children		

(5) Joseph Wade Speed was born March 4, 1848 and died in 1913. He is buried in Ora. He married Martha Elizabeth "Mattie" Duckworth who was born April 26, 1870 and died June 3, 1893. She is buried at Meshach Roger cemetery. She was the daughter of Benjamin Duckworth II and Nancy Caroline Rogers. Joseph and Martha's children are listed below.

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| 1. Virgie Belle SPEED 1873-
John Manfield | 5 Joseph Earl SPEED 1883-1918 |
| 2. Anna C. SPEED 1875-
Charles M. McDaniel | 6 Katie W. SPEED 1886- |
| 3 Sarah Caroline SPEED 1876-1887
Nov 26 1876 - Mar 6 1887 | 7 Louise Bertie SPEED 1888-1966
Henry Wyatt Holifield |
| 4 Carl E. SPEED 1878-1933
Katie McNair | 8 Jefferson Buron SPEED 1890-1901 |

James Wade Speed then married Mary Cornelia "Nellie" Burken. Their children are listed below.

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| 1. Monroe Burkett SPEED B&D 1899 Feb 7 1899 & Feb 11 1899 |
| 2. Ontee SPEED B&D 1900 April 10 1900 & June 3 1900 |
| 3. Rembert J. SPEED 1901- [Hayden SPEED dec'd.
Carrie Gunn] |

(6) Benjamine Franklin Speed was born February 23, 1850 and died in 1909. He is buried in Texas. He was married to Colen Rosanna Ulmer, born in 1856 and died in 1895. She is buried in Texas. She was the daughter of Franklin Herger Ulmer and Mary Frances Brinson of Lincoln County Mississippi. Their children are listed below.

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| 1. Addie SPEED 1874-1970 | 2 children |
| 2. Andrew Elton SPEED 1879-1933
Mollie Belle Coleman 1891 | 11 children (14 Brig. Gen. Carter C. SPEED dec'd.) |
| 3. Meshach Lafayette SPEED 1876-
M. E. | Yson, Veachel, 1905-1908 Bur. Kerens, Tex |
| 4. Mellie SPEED 1879-1957 | 15 children |
| 5. Mary Etta SPEED 1880-1966
Daniel Marion Kilcrease | 3 children |
| 6. Frank Monroe SPEED 1881-1951 (Bur. Cal.)
Eva Bell Bean | 4 children |
| 7. Timothy "Tim" SPEED 1894-1970 (Celista, B.C., Canada)
Alberta Victoria Oborn | 7 children |

(7) Martha Caroline Speed was born on August 12, 1862 and died January 10, 1922. She is buried at Station Creek Baptist Church cemetery. She married William "Billy" Keys who was born May 16, 1848 and died September 28, 1935. Their children are listed below.

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| 1. John William Keys 1869-1930
Fanny Duckworth 1872-1915 | 2. Caroline Keys.
① John Quick
② George Welch | No Children |
| 3. Mable N. Keys 1873-
Elbert P. Dees 1877-1953 (Bur. Salem) | 4. Joseph Monroe Keys 1875-1956
Alice Sullivan 1877-1959
f. (both bur. Station Creek) | 1. Walter Estus Keys
2. Thelma Keys } Twins
3. Zelma Keys } |
| 5. Olson Keys
Gertha Upton
Pearlie McGraw (Living Laurel)
Twins ① & ② | 6. Volney Estus Keys (ic) 1879-1965
Ester Sullivan 1883-1971 | Clifton Keys
Nokie Rogers (who was she?) |
| 7. Vivian Keys
① Robert Anderson (Living Biloxi)
② Marie Keys died young | | |